

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) The camera support system of claim 19 with the springs ~~A camera support, comprising:~~

~~a base;~~

~~an isolator plate attached to the base and pivotable in a vertical direction;~~

~~one or more springs attached to the plate for exerting a spring force in a first direction, between the base and the plate; and the~~

~~one or more dampening elements attached to the base and the plate for exerting a dampening force, in a second direction, different from the first direction, between the base and the plate.~~

2. (Currently Amended) The camera support system of claim 1 further comprising a horizontal isolator assembly supported by the base ~~[[plate]]~~, and a leveling system associated with the base ~~[[plate]]~~ and the horizontal isolator assembly.

3. (Cancelled).

4. (Currently Amended) The camera support of claim 1 ~~[[3]]~~ further including adjustment features for adjusting the leveling system linkage to compensate for angulation movement of the base.

5. (Currently Amended) The camera support system of claim 19 with the bar extending between first and second side plates attached to the base, and with each of the springs ~~A shock and vibration isolator for a camera, comprising:~~

~~first and second spaced apart side plates;~~

~~an axle connecting to the side plates;~~

~~an arm attached to the axle, with the arm pivotable relative to the side plates;~~

~~a bar attached to the side plates;~~

~~at least one spring having a first end connected to the isolator [[arm]] at a first location and having a second end connected to the bar;~~

~~at least one viscous dampener and with each of the dampening elements having a first end connected to the isolator [[arm]] at a second location closer to the bar than the first location, and having a second end connected to the bar;~~

~~first and second spaced apart leveling plates pivotably attached to the arm; and~~

~~first and second leveling rods pivotably attached respectively to the first and second side plates.~~

6. (Currently Amended) The isolator of claim 5 further including a turnbuckle between the isolator [[arm]] and the spring.

7. (Cancelled).

8. (Original) The isolator of claim 5 further including means for adjusting tension in the springs.

9. (Cancelled).

10. (Currently Amended) The camera support system of claim 2 isolator of ~~claim 9~~ with the horizontal isolator assembly axis-isolator including a first longitudinal bar slidable through a first fitting on [the] a first leveling plate, and a second longitudinal bar slidable through a second fitting on [the] a second leveling plate, and a first lateral bar and a second lateral bar extending between and supported by [the] first and second longitudinal bars, and a mounting plate slidable along the first and second lateral bars.

11. (Original) The isolator of claim 10 with the first and second lateral bars having a radius of curvature of 60-168 inches.

12. (Original) The isolator of claim 10 further comprising lateral springs acting to hold the mounting plate at a lateral central location on the lateral bars, and longitudinal springs acting to hold the mounting plate at a longitudinal central location on the longitudinal bars;

a pair of lateral dampeners attached to the mounting plate; and

a pair of longitudinal dampeners attached to the mounting plate.

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Cancelled)

15. (Currently Amended) The camera support of claim 1 with the spring exerting a spring force at an angle of 2-15 degrees to a plane of the isolator ~~[[plate]]~~.

16. (Currently Amended) The camera support system of claim 19 ~~of claim 4~~ further comprising a camera mounting plate pivotably supported on the isolator ~~[[plate]]~~, and a leveling system associated with the mounting plate and the isolator ~~[[plate]]~~, for keeping the camera mounting plate level as the isolator ~~[[plate]]~~ pivots vertically.

17-18. (Cancelled)

19. (Currently Amended) A camera support system, comprising:

a camera crane;

a base attached onto the camera crane;

an isolator vertically pivotable about the base;

a plurality of springs attached to a bar on the base and to the isolator, with the springs substantially at an acute angle relative to the isolator; and

a plurality of dampening elements attached to ~~[[a]] the~~ bar on the base and to the isolator, with the springs and dampening elements in an alternating arrangement.

20. (Cancelled)

21. (Previously Presented) The camera support of claim 19 wherein the isolator is attached to, and pivotable about, an axle on the base positioned below the bar.

22-25. (Cancelled)